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Antenna and Grounded Outer)
Helix Antenna)
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RESPONSE and PETITION REQUESTING TWO MONTH EXTENSION

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Responsive to an Office Action mailed September 12, 2002, with a three month period for response, the applicants amend the application as follows. In conjunction with the present response, the applicant further requests a two month extension of the response date. The two month extension extends the original response date of December 12, 2002, to February 12, 2003.

The fee required for a request for a two month extension is \$410. In addition to the fee for the extension request, an extra claim fee is believed to be due as a result of an amendment to the claims, which increases the number of independent claims from four to five. The extra claim fee is \$84 for each additional independent claim in excess of three. The Commissioner is requested and authorized to charge the required fees, to the applicant's Deposit Account No. 50-2117. The applicant's representative further, hereby, authorizes the Commissioner to charge any additional fees required by the present amendment including fees to cover any deficiency associated with any underpayments, or credit any overpayments to the deposit account.

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